

Bro. Diehl is right. It was indeed good work and square work. Though we know that the chief reward of such work lies in the doing of it, we trust that all Masonic Reviewers, wheresoever dispersed, will give Clio a hand in publishing the splendid record of our little band of devoted craftsmen, who are building upon so sound a foundation in the midst of the crumbling monuments of intolerance and immorality.

Miss Maud Crosby is assistant Librarian of the Grand Lodge, and her work is warmly commended. The sympathy and aid of the fair sex must be exceedingly gratifying to our Utah Brethren. But then it is not to be wondered at. What a power for the extension of our system of morality would every woman worthy of that charmed name become, could she perceive, as her Utah sisters evidently do, what Masonry has done and is doing towards elevating, ennobling and sanctifying her sex in the hearts and affections of all who are brought within the range of its teachings.

The Grand Lodge, upon the recommendation of its Committee on Jurisprudence, passed upon the Louisiana Resolutions, affirming some, but declining to subscribe to others. Did space permit, we should like to have our say on some of the Grand Lodge conclusions on this matter.

Bro. Diehl presents a masterly report of Foreign Correspondence. Quebec is fully and fraternally noticed. Our copy of his report is thickly pencilled, but Bro. Isaacson's admonition to brevity is ringing in our ears, and we are reluctantly compelled to say *au revoir* to our good Brother of Utah.

There is a magnificent oration too, on Masonry, by Bro. Van Horne, Grand Orator, that would bear reproduction from beginning to end.

The Master Masons in Utah, number 477. Their Lodge treasuries contain \$10,595, and the value of their Lodge property is \$9,950.

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R. W. BRO. CHRISTOPHER DIEHL, Grand Secretary.

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The 109th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, was held at Richmond, on the 13th December, 1886, M. W. Bro. Francis H. Hill, Grand Master, presiding.

An immense amount of business was transacted, principally of local interest.

The number of Lodges making returns was 197 as compared with 207